

HOUSE RESOLUTION No. ____

Introduced by: Bauer

A HOUSE RESOLUTION to honor Ken Zeller upon his retirement as President of the Indiana State AFL-CIO.

Whereas, Ken Zeller's union career began at the Youngstown Steel Door Company in Hammond, where he served as a union steward with the District 50 Mine Workers; and

Whereas, Ken Zeller became a member of USW Local #12775 while working for the Northern Indiana Power Service Company where he was elected Grievance Committeeman for the Construction Division; and

Whereas, Ken Zeller was twice elected President of Local #12775; and



Whereas, Governor Evan Bayh appointed Ken Seller to serve as Commissioner of Labor for the State of Indiana; and

Whereas, while serving as Commissioner of Labor, Ken Zeller was elected to the executive board of the Occupational Safety and Health State Plan States Association; and

Whereas, Ken Zeller was appointed by then Secretary of Labor, Robert Reich, to the National Advisory Committee on Occupational Safety and Health, which advises the Secretaries of Labor and the Secretaries of Health and Human Services; and

Whereas, Ken Zeller was elected President of the Indiana State AFL-CIO on December 4, 1997; and

Whereas, Ken Zeller announced he was retiring as President of the Indiana State AFL-CIO in December of 2009; Therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

SECTION 1. That the Indiana House of Representatives officially recognizes and honors Ken Zeller for his lifetime of service to the United States of America, the State of Indiana and the AFL-CIO and wishes Ken and his wife Nancy well upon their retirement in Florida.

SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives transmit a copy of this resolution to Ken and Nancy Zeller.

